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News to Know

State Fiscal Year (FY) End Deadlines

Below are the State FY 2026 deadlines for submission of any State and Federal invoices/reimbursement.
June 1 - State Funds: No submission after this date will be accepted. Any unused MEHTAP or STA funds after June 1 will be re-allocated.
June 8 - Federal Funds: Submissions submitted after June 3 will be held until July for processing.

Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan Update

MoDOT Transit will be updating the MoDOT Group Sponsored TAM Plan this year. **Tier 1** will be developing their own TAM Plans. **Tier 2** has the option of creating their own TAM Plans or joining Transit Sponsored Group TAM Plan. **5311 Recipients** will be included in the Sponsored Group TAM Plan.

Please monitor your email for upcoming information that will need to be collected. Please reach out to Janette Vomund, **janette.vomund@modot.mo.gov**, for assistance.

2027-2031 STIP Public Comment Procedures

The 2027-2031 Draft Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP) has been shared with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission. To prepare for the 30-day public comment period that follows, please view the available **public comment schedule** and **public comment procedures.** The comment period runs May 6 - June 5.

MPTA Presents: MoDOT Training Sessions on Passenger Transportation DOT Compliance

The Missouri Public Transit Association is providing two, two-hour MoDOT training opportunities that cover passenger transportation DOT compliance. Matthew Kiefer from MoDOT Motor Carrier Services will provide the training.

Dates:
May 19: Training for 5311 & 5307 program providers.
June 16: Training for 5310 program providers.

Register to attend this training event.

2026 Missouri Transit Conference

The **full agenda** for the 2026 Missouri Transit Conference is now available. This provides a first look at the sessions, speakers and discussions planned for this year's event.

From policy updates and funding strategies to innovation in transit technology and transit messaging strategies, the program is designed to inform and inspire attendees.

Highlights include:

- Transit leader Roundtable with **Paul Comfort**, Transit Unplugged.
- Deep dive on the federal front with **Scott Bogren,** CTAA.
- Mindfulness training for transit with **Bill Parsons**, RWC Training.
- Substance Abuse Training by U.S. DOT Volpe Center.
- Rooftop Reception celebrating MPTA 45th Anniversary.
- Mobile Workshop tours and more.

Early bird registration is still available. Save $100 by registering before July 3. See the "Upcoming Conferences" section for more information.

Section 5310 Subrecipients

The FMCSA Drug and Alcohol Virtual Training - Part 382 is on **June 24**. **Click here to enroll**.
Already enrolled? **Click here to access the webinar**. Section 5310 transit agencies that have vehicles that are 16 passenger or more (including the driver) can attend this training.

Accident Report

Did you know that when a federally funded vehicle has been involved in a roadway incident, regardless of severity, it must be reported to MoDOT? MoDOT has created an Accident Report form that transit agencies must complete. The form can be found on the **MoDOT-Transit website** under "Vehicle Accidents."

Send completed forms for review to **Christy.Evers@modot.mo.gov**.

Vehicle Disposition Form

MoDOT has updated the vehicle disposition form. Transit agencies that receive federally funded vehicles through MoDOT must complete this form when requesting vehicles to be sold, buyback, etc. The use of this form is effective immediately and can be found on the **MoDOT-Transit website** under "Vehicle Dispositions."

Send completed forms for review and processing to **Lisa.Sloan@modot.mo.gov**.

Transit Trivia Time!

Established on Nov. 11, 1926, and stretching 2,448 miles across the United States, what famous highway is also known as the Will Rogers Memorial Highway?

A. Lincoln Highway.
B. Route 66.
C. Beartooth Highway.

Answer is below 'Upcoming Conferences' section.

Upcoming Reporting

May 2026

- DBE reporting for Oct. 1, 2025 - March 31, 2026.

July 2026

- Annual Vehicle/Mileage Reporting (Section 5310/5311).
- Annual Insurance Certification (Section 5310/5311).
- Annual Agency Contact Update (Section 5310/5311).
- Annual Ridership (METHAP/Section 5310 and Public Transportation).

Upcoming Conferences

2026 Missouri Transit Conference

Sept. 2-3, 2026 in Columbia, MO
Register for the conference.

For a listing of all National RTAP conferences and other national events, view our **calendar**. Also, see the **FTA Events Calendar**. To submit an event, email **info@nationalrtap.org**.

Trivia Answer: B. Route 66.

We want to hear from you!

MoDOT's InTransit Newsletter is an opportunity for transit agencies funded through MoDOT to recognize the awesome things that are happening in their organizations. If you would like to share what your agency is doing, whether it's about your service or highlighting a transit employee, please send those submissions to **Nicholas.Volkart@modot.mo.gov**.

TRAINING RESOURCES

APTAU Learning **Homepage**
Community Transportation Association of America (CTAA) **https://ctaa.org/**
Easterseals Project Action **Course Schedule**
FMCSA Drug and Alcohol **https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/regulations/drug-alcohol-testing-program**
FTA Drug and Alcohol **https://www.transit.dot.gov/drug-alcohol-program**
FTA Webinars and Trainings **Homepage**
Mineta Transportation Institute **Upcoming Webinars**
Missouri Public Transit Association (MPTA) **https://www.mopublictransit.org**
Missouri RTAP **https://www.mltrc.org/mltrc/About_RTAP.asp**
Multimodal Partner Contact Map **https://www.modot.org/multimodal-partner-contact-map-mode**
National Center for Mobility Management (NCMM) **https://nationalcenterformobilitymanagement.org/**
National RTAP **https://www.nationalrtap.org/**
National Transit Institute (NTI) **https://www.ntionline.com/**
National Transit Institute's **Current Course Schedule** of Upcoming Training
NCMM **e-Learning Catalogue**
SUMC's Mobility Learning Center **https://learn.sharedusemobilitycenter.org/**
TSI Public Transportation **Catalogue**
USDOT Drug and Alcohol **https://www.transportation.gov/odapc**

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